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Question About NIOSH Hazard Evaluations

Dan,

Please note that employees, employee representatives, or employers can request an evaluation of possible health hazards associated with a job or workplace from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). EPA should not request any NIOSH health hazard evaluations of third party sites as I believe this could create significant legal issues with that party. Any requests to NIOSH should be made by employees, employee representatives, or employers of that site or facility themselves. If it is a request for a non-occupational hazard evaluation I doubt that NIOSH would conduct it as it would be outside of their scope of responsibility.

I hope that this answers your question. If you have additional questions please contact me.

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